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SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION OF FIGURES IN LAO WEEKLY

SITREP OF JANUARY 23

REF: (A) STATE 16250

(B) VIENTIANE 0567

FIGURES REFERRED TO IN REF A APPARENTLY GARBLED IN
TRANSMISSION AND ARE, LIKE REPORTS OF MARK TWAIN'S
DEATH, GREATLY EXXAGERATED. AS TRANSMITTED FROM HERE,
SITREP REPORTED THAT:

A) DURING WEEK'S MILITARY ACTION, "ONE FAR
SOLDIER WAS KILLED AND TWO WOUNDED,"
IN GROUND ATTACK IN MR-III; AND

B) USAID COST-OF-LIVING INDEX FOR VIENTIANE
ON JANUARY 21 SHOWED INCREASE OF
"TWELVE POINT FIVE" PERCENT ABOVE
END DECEMBER.
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